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- 14,.....Dark morning, showery afternoon.
 15—17,....Dark showery days.
 18—19,....Dark dry day.
 20,.....Showery morning, fair day.
 21,.....Wet day.
 22,.....Fine day, cold, and a shower of rain.
 23,.....Fine day, cold, and showery at night.
 24—27,....Dry days.
 28,.....Cloudy, with some light showers.
 29,.....Cloudy and showery.
 30,.....Cloudy and cold.
 31,.....Wet and stormy.
- April** 1,.....Stormy, and snow showers.
 2—3,.....Windy and hard frost, and snow on the mountains.
 4,.....Dry day, showery evening.
 5,.....Showery.
 6—11,....Dry fine days.
 12,.....Light shower in the morning, fine day.
 13—14,....Fine days.
 15,.....Wet.
 16,.....Cloudy and dry.
 17—18,....Cloudy, with some showers.
 19,.....Fine.
 20,.....Dark dry day.

During the last 8 days of February, the Barometer was, on the 22d and 26th, 29·5; on the 27th, it stood at 29·7; on the 1st and 31st of March, it was 29·9; on the 27th, 30·6; the rest of the time it was never below 30. On the 1st of April, it was 29; on the 13th and 14th, it was at 30·5.

The Thermometer, on the 24th of February, was, at 8 A.M., 35°; on the 26th, it was at 50. On the 12th of March, it was at 30; on the 15th, it was 51, and several mornings it was as high as 50. On the morning of the 2d of April, there was on the puddles ice of half an inch thick; on the 4th, the Thermometer was, at 9 A.M., 42°; on the 9th, at 8 A.M., 52°; on the 12th, 52½°; on the 19th, 52°; the rest of the period it was nearly the same.

The Wind was in March 19 times S.W.; 7 W.; 7 N.W.; 3 N.E.; 1 S.E. In April, 9 times S.W.; 4 N.E.; 3 E.; 2 S.E.; 13 W.

CELESTIAL PHENOMENA.

FOR MAY, 1813.

On the 2nd of this month, the Moon's crescent is seen, for a short time, above Aldebaran, near west-north-west, in the evening.

On the 4th, the Moon is under the sixth of the Twins, which star she passes at forty-seven minutes past eight in the evening; and above her we notice the two first stars of this constellation, the nautical star being nearest to her. She is directing her course under Jupiter, at some distance from her.

On the 5th, the Moon is seen to have approached much nearer to Jupiter, who is still above her, and, with the two first stars of the Twins, makes a pleasing groupe in her neighbourhood.

On the 10th, the Moon is on the meridian at fifty-seven minutes past eight, being between the second and seventh of the Virgin, the former to the west, the latter, much nearer to her, to the east of the meridian.

On the 15th, is full Moon, at twenty-six minutes past nine in the morning. In the

evening, she rises first above the second of the Scorpion, and passes it early in the following morning.

On the 19th, the Moon rises nearly at the same time with Saturn, as she passes this planet at sixteen minutes past eleven at night; and, during the morning of the 20th, her recess from this planet, and access to Mars to the east of her, will amuse the morning traveller.

On the 21st, the Moon rises in the morning under the two first stars of the Goat, Saturn being now considerably to the west of her, and Mars being below her, and her passage by this planet will be interesting.

On the 25th, the Moon is in the barren space under the four stars in square.

On the 29th, is new Moon, at twenty-one minutes past eleven at night; but without an eclipse.

Mercury is a morning star during the whole month, stationary on the 4th, and at his greatest elongation on the 18th. His position is unfavourable, as he is travelling in the first and second signs with a southern latitude, which increases to the 19th. The Moon passes him on the 28th.

Venus is in her superior conjunction on the 25th, and too near the sun, during the whole month, to escape the superiority of his beams. She passes the second tenth of the Bull on the 26th, the star being forty-three minutes north of her. The Moon passes her on the 29th.

Mars is on the meridian at eighteen minutes past five on the morning of the 1st, and at half past four on the 22nd. His motion is direct through thirteen degrees, and the Moon passes him on the 21st.

Jupiter is an evening star, being on the meridian at forty minutes past five of the afternoon of the 1st, and every day later. At ten in the evening are eclipses of the following moons: of the 1st, on the 11th and 18th; the second, on the 15th, 22nd, and 29th; of the third, on the 3d; and of the fourth, on the 8th and 25th. Our Moon passes him on the 6th.

Saturn is on the meridian on the 3d, at three quarters past four in the morning; and on the 21st, at half past three. The distance of Mars from him daily increases, and the Moon passes near to him on the 19th, at sixteen minutes past eleven at night.

Herschell is on the meridian at near one of the morning on the 1st, and at three quarters past eleven on the 20th. We are directed to him by the eleventh of the Balance, the small star to the west of the second of the Scorpion. He is receding from this star towards the tenth, his motion being retrograde through a degree and a quarter, and ending within a degree east of the latter star. The Moon passes him on the 15th.

Friend's Evening Amusements.

NOTICE OF A NEW PUBLICATION, WHICH CAME TOO LATE FOR INSERTION IN ITS PROPER PLACE.

SOME months ago, a publication appeared, by Doctor Black, in vindication of the Synod of Ulster, from alleged reflections cast upon that body by Dr. Dickson, in his "Narrative, &c." That publication has excited some doubts, and given rise to discussions, which may affect more than the parties immediately concerned. These doubts are in the way of being removed, and an end put to passionate discussion, by Dr. Dickson's Review of, and Reply to Dr. Black's charges of Falsehood, Misrepresentation, and Calumny; the meanest, and most detestable of all vices. Dr. Dickson feels satisfaction in the thought, that the public will soon be enabled to form a well-founded judgment in this case, as his Retractations, or Refutations, or whatever they may be, are now in the press, and will be published in a few weeks.